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Report from Calcutta—Cholera and plague mortality.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Eakins reports, July 21, as follows:

During the week ended July 16, 1904, there were 5 deaths from

plague and 7 deaths from cholera in Calcutta.

In Bengal during the week ended July 9 there were 109 cases and 96 deaths from plague. In India during the week ended July 9 there were 2,414 cases and 1,919 deaths from plague.

ITALY.

Report from Naples—Inspection of vessels—Cholera in Turkey.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Eager reports, August 15, as follows: During the week ended August 13, 1904, the following ships were inspected at Naples and Palermo:

NAPLES.

Date.	Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of large baggage inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disin- fected.	Number of steerage passengers recom- mended for rejection.
Aug. 10 11 12	Perugia	New Yorkdodo	174 190 249	43 55 80	389 325 435	6 15 5

PALERMO.

Aug. 7	Sicilian Prince	New York	211	50	250	21				

Asiatic cholera in Turkey.

A telegram from Constantinople states that Asiatic cholera has broken out at Baku and that all persons arriving from Batum are submitted to a medical visit.

MEXICO.

Reports from Monterey—Sanitary conditions.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Goldberger reports, August 17, as follows: The sanitary situation in Monterey and vicinity during the week ended August 13, 1904, continued much as at the date of my last

report.

In the city of Monterey there appears to be a slight increase in the amount of sickness as shown by an increase in the number of deaths recorded. The total number of deaths recorded during the week under consideration was 59. Diseases of the gastrointestinal tract, principally of children, continue to retain their prominence as the chief cause of death.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ferguson reports, August 16 and 19, through Passed Assistant Surgeon Goldberger, as follows:

Nothing of sanitary interest has come to my notice for the week ended August 13.

I leave to-night to make inspection of Monclova and vicinity.